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August 24, 1999

David Waddell
Executive Secretary
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, TN 37243-0505

99-00597

RE: Revised IntraLATA Toll Dialing Parity Plan

Dear Secretary Waddell:

Based on discussions with Staff, **Frontier Telemanagement Inc.** hereby submits one (1) original and thirteen (13) copies of our revised IntraLATA Toll Dialing Parity Plan.

Please contact me at 716.777.8456 if I can be of any further assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Michael J. Nighan".

Michael J. Nighan
Director - Regulatory Affairs

Attachments

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FRONTIER TELEMAGEMENT INC.

IntraLATA Toll Dialing Parity Plan

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Frontier Telemanagement Inc. ("Frontier" or the "Company") hereby provides an IntraLATA Toll Dialing Parity Plan in response to the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (TRA) letter of April 29, 1999.

I. OBJECTIVE/PURPOSE

The intent of the Plan is to permit Frontier's customers to route intraLATA toll calls automatically, without the use of access codes, to the IntraLATA Service Provider ("ILSP") of the customer's choice.

As a non-facility-based local reseller, Frontier does not provide local exchange services through its own facilities but resells the services of an underlying Local Exchange Carrier (LEC). Frontier's implementation of an IntraLATA Toll Dialing Parity Plan is therefore necessarily contingent upon the provision of such a service to Frontier through the switches of the underlying LEC.

II. IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE

Frontier has already begun providing toll dialing parity for intraLATA toll calls. Frontier's customers may choose any ILSP that has established itself as an access customer of Frontier's underlying LEC.

III. CARRIER SELECTION PROCEDURES

Frontier has implemented a full 2-PIC carrier selection methodology. With the full 2-PIC methodology, customers are able to presubscribe to one telecommunications carrier for interLATA toll calls and to presubscribe to the same or a different ILSP for intraLATA toll calls.

Processes have been established to provide new customers with an opportunity to choose their intraLATA toll carrier. Company employees who communicate with the public, accept orders and serve in customer service capacities have been trained to explain to customers the availability of 2-PIC equal access, and to assist customers in making an initial PIC choice or in changing a PIC choice for intraLATA and interLATA toll calls. As part of this process, Frontier acts as the interface between the customer and Frontier's underlying LEC who must implement the actual presubscription changes requested by the customer.

IV. NEW CUSTOMERS

If requested by the customer, Frontier will provide a list of ILSP's that are maintaining the necessary access relationship with Frontier's underlying LEC. This list of ILSPs is

presented in a competitively neutral manner. New customers who do not make a choice for an intraLATA toll carrier are identified within Frontier's underlying LEC's systems as "no-PIC" and do not automatically default to any carrier. New customers identified as "no-PIC" are required to dial the access code of an ILSP to place intraLATA toll calls until they make an affirmative choice for an ILSP.

V. EXISTING CUSTOMERS

Existing Frontier customers may opt to be presubscribed to any ILSP that is an access customer of Frontier's underlying LEC. When toll dialing parity was introduced by Frontier, the Company's few existing customers were manually notified of the availability of toll dialing parity.

VI. INITIAL PIC REQUEST

A Frontier customer's initial intraLATA PIC request is made at no charge to the customer. After the initial PIC, Frontier bills a customer an intraLATA PIC change charge of \$10.00 per line.

VII. CARRIER NOTIFICATION

Frontier has forwarded to its underlying LECs the information necessary to permit Frontier's customers to select the ILSP of their choice.